

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Luis Aldaz et al.  
Application No. : 09/678,480  
Filed : October 2, 2000  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COMBINED FINGER  
MANAGEMENT AND FINGER LOCK FOR A MULTIPATH  
SIGNALS IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Examiner : Curtis B. Odom  
Art Unit : 2611  
Docket No. : 853463.448  
Date : October 10, 2008

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated April 10, 2008, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on October 10, 2008. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.